


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ALBANY, Dec. 24—Headquarters of the New York Political Equality Association, of which Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont is president, were opened in this city today in anticipation of the fight that is to be made before the coming session of the New York General Assembly for the passage of the woman suffrage measure. The headquarters will be in charge of Wallace B. Hunter, who is Mrs. Belmont's personal representative. The bill for woman suffrage is now being framed and it is said that several members of the legislature have written to Mrs. Belmont and offered to introduce it.

USUAL HOLIDAY RUSH
ON IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Despite the "do it early" crusade waged in the newspapers, the day before Christmas found many thousands unprepared, and one of the greatest shopping rushes in the history of the metropolis was the result. All of the big stores, and the little ones as well, were the scene of crushes and jams of struggling humanity, all eager to spend their hard earned cash for holiday gifts. So incessant was the demand upon their energy, and so great the nervous excitement, that many shop girls were overcome. It is likely that today will go down in mercantile history as the biggest Friday on record.

**CELEBRATED AVIATOR
ARRIVES IN NEW YORK.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 24—Louis Paulhan, the celebrated French aviator, reached New York today on his way to Los Angeles, where he is to compete in the big aviation meeting to be held there next month. Paulhan brings with him two Blériot cross-channel machines and two of the latest type of Farman aeroplanes. After taking part in the Los Angeles contest he plans to give exhibitions at Galveston, San Antonio, New Orleans, Atlanta, and several other cities.

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With its ancient ruins dating back to a time when the history of man runneth not, interlaced with wires of the modern telegraph and telephone, its miles of shell streets as hard and smooth as a floor and over-arched by hoary forest giants that grew in stately grandeur during the lapse of bygone centuries, New Smyrna is truly a place of romance and rest.

All nature here is very inviting to the tourist and pleasure-seeker. Here too is to be found the best fishing and hunting in the State of Florida.

The people are thrifty, the business men enterprising, and all unite in extending the welcome hand of hospitality to strangers. There are five church edifices for white people and an equal number for the colored population; the town has an excellent high school, a splendid public library, and up-to-date business houses.

There are any number of pretty homes for the permanent population, which numbers close to 2,000, and some very fine winter residences. There are good hotels and boarding houses where you can find accommodations to meet your requirements.

Adjoining New Smyrna is as fine a section of vegetable land as can be found anywhere. This land has been divided into small farms which can be bought at reasonable prices. Some of the finest celery grown in the State is raised on this land. All other vegetables grow in abundance, and here, too, is the home of the famous Indian River oranges.

New Smyrna has no bonded indebtedness and the tax levy is low.

A point that no tourist should fail to visit is the ruins of the Old Spanish Mission which stand somber and alone about one and a quarter miles southwest of New Smyrna. A good road leads to the place and the trip can be easily made by an automobile.

Silent, in the great pine flats by the margin of the forest, is this place of pilgrimage for the pious; this rendezvous for the picnicer. The ruins are extensive, and while there is no authentic history of their origin, it is presumed that the Mission was built by the Franciscans in the days when the once powerful Kingdom of Spain first planted its flag upon what is now American soil. It was built of coquina, the roof being of the same material, cut into thin slabs and covered with cement plaster.

Extensive gardens surrounded it, which were enclosed by a stone wall, portions of which still remain. Visitors usually come in parties merry and curious but the spell of the place soon falls upon them and they separate to sit alone, silent and meditative, under the arches or beside the ancient well.

CORONADO is situated on the peninsula opposite New Smyrna and is connected by a good road and bridge over the deep current of Indian River. Here you can put aside your conventional garb, breathe in large and deep the salty tonic of the sea and enjoy yourself to your heart's content with rod and reel in row or sail boat or in the ocean surf a short half-mile away. The great varieties of fish inhabiting the river and lagoon pass through the channel from the sea beneath the bridge. From verandas, upper balconies and windows you behold the magnificent river, the distant lagoons and islands, the forest-covered peninsula and the vast reaches of the Atlantic Ocean.

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Many fine residences are maintained on either side of the river, most of them embellished with sub-tropical flora and shrubbery, besides thrifty orange and other citrus fruit trees.

The town is very cosmopolitan, has an excellent graded school, several churches, a fine public library, up-to-date places of business and comfortable and convenient hotels and boarding houses.

Ormond has many of the Florida attractions—fine fruit, good fishing, excellent automobile, safe boating, salubrious climate and pleasant walks and drives.

At Ormond Beach is located the large Hotel Ormond, and its lesser sister, Bretton Inn. The former occupies a position overlooking the Halifax River, while the latter has as its outlook the magnificent beach and the broad Atlantic.

The walks in all directions are particularly attractive, and the arbors, shady and inviting spots and romantic nooks are crowded with rustic seats which are mute invitations to enter into the enjoyment thereof.

Besides the broad, smooth ocean beach there are many drives for carriage or automobile—long drives and short drives; drives through groves of golden oranges; drives through dense tropical forests to Spanish ruins; drives to the ancient Causeway built by the slaves of planters of long ago, and drives to the plantations of hospitable settlers, whose places are replete with the interest of Southern fruits and flowers.

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golden orange groves. The town is
supplied with water said to be the
purest in the world, another attrac-
tion to visitors. It is at Orange City
that passengers over the Florida East
Coast Ry. transfer to carriages and
drive to Deland. The town is sur-
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to the cultivation of citrus fruits.

DELAND, the county seat of
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is situated 23 miles southwest of
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At Deland is located the John B.
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South. Because of the interest in
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Stetson University has a faculty of
50 professors and instructors. There
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equipment; nearly \$300,000 endow-
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of \$60,000. Elizabeth Hall is one of
the most beautiful college buildings
in the South.

The city has a population of about
3,500, with a thickly settled country
adjacent. Deland proper is five
miles east of the St. Johns River, on
the high, rolling pine land of the
great "Orange Ridge" of Florida.

The predominating products are
oranges and grapefruit, the estimated
crop from this vicinity being over
300,000 boxes this year. Grapes,
peaches, pears, Japan persimmons,
plums, pecans, guavas, strawberries
and other fruits are grown in plenty.

In the way of public improvements
are many miles of fine shell roads,
an excellent high school, electric lights,
a system of waterworks that is owned
and operated by the city, supplying
the purest water at little cost.

Nine houses of worship testify that
Deland is a church-going commu-
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The predominating products are
oranges and grapefruit, the estimated
crop from this vicinity being over
300,000 boxes this year. Grapes,
peaches, pears, Japan persimmons,
plums, pecans, guavas, strawberries
and other fruits are grown in plenty.

In the way of public improvements
are many miles of fine shell roads,
an excellent high school, electric lights,
a system of waterworks that is owned
and operated by the city, supplying
the purest water at little cost.

Nine houses of worship testify that
Deland is a church-going commu-
nity. Baptists, Episcopalians, Meth-
odists (Northern and Southern), Pres-
byterians, Christians and Catholics,
besides colored Baptists and Metho-
dists, are represented.

The graded school offers a ten
years' course, and the building which
it occupies is newly furnished
throughout, and is one of the most
commodious and best equipped pub-
lic schools in the State.

The trip from Daytona to Deland
is made by automobile in a little
over an hour, and there are many
pretty drives in the vicinity of the
county site. A good road leads to
DeLeon Springs, five miles, a historic
spot, where 60,000 gallons of water
bubble from the earth every minute.

From Deland automobiles go south
to Osteen, 18 miles, on shell and
marl roads; the St. Johns is crossed by
ferry near Osteen and cars can then
continue to Sanford and Orlando by
hard road. There is a shell road
from Deland to Orange City, five
miles, and a good road from Deland
to Lake Helen, a like distance.

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Central Auto Garage

MRS. SANTA CLAUS.

By ELLA E. BARNES.
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FOR several years the proverbial Santa Claus with white beard had visited our Christmas tree to distribute the gifts and dispense his mirthful cheer. Last year he could not come, and as the age is one of womanly achievement he asked permission to send his wife.

Of Mrs. Santa Claus we had all heard, but none had seen her, and the announcement of her coming provoked great interest. Many were the queries regarding her appearance, but none could be answered. A knock at the door announced her arrival, and in came the kind old lady, covered with (cotton) snowflakes, rosy and animated after her long journey, but radiant with loving good cheer and affection for all. She wore a long cloak of bright red homespun (a real antique, borrowed for the occasion) and a wonderful poke bonnet, an ancient calash, trimmed with gleaming holly and adorned with flowing strings of red and green ribbon. Upon her hands were huge fur mittens, and beneath her cloak, which she threw back from her shoulders, we saw her spotless crossed kerchief and a wonderful lawn apron with green sprigged border. These she was pleased to exhibit to the ladies, for she took a womanly pride in her dress, although she confessed that the styles did not change



IN CAME THE KIND OLD LADY.

very often at the north pole, and, anyway, she was too busy to think of such things.

After a short rest, through which she rather gasped her Christmas salutations, she stood to make a short speech before beginning her gracious labor of distributing the gifts from the laden tree.

She said in part: "Ever since I married Mr. Santa Claus, over 150 years ago, I've tried to be a real helpmeet to him. But I've never gone around to entertainments before. I've done the work in the background, so to speak, as a good wife should. However, this year Santa's been dreadfully overworked. Why, just think of all

YEGGMEN MAKE RICH

HAUL OF STAMPS AND CASH

SCHENECTADY, N. Y., Dec. 24.—The postoffice at Ballston Spa was entered last night by four yeggmens and the safe cracked. One thousand dollars in cash and five hundred dollars worth of stamps were stolen. The explosion was heard but the burglars escaped before help arrived.

TWO FIREMEN KILLED

SEVERAL SERIOUSLY HURT

LEWISTOWN, Me., Dec. 24.—Fire which destroyed the Callahan block here today caused the death of two firemen and injured many others. The loss is \$50,000. Ten firemen were caught under the debris from falling walls.

W. D. B. Barnes and his mother, and grandmother, Mesdames M. F. Thomas and A. DeBow, who are wintering in DeLand, where Mr. Barnes is taking the law course at Stetson University, came over from the county seat Thursday to spend the Christmas holidays in this city, where they have many friends.

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Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

SOWING WILD OATS.

"Oh, after he has sowed his wild oats he will settle down."

But will he?

There is a popular impression that youth—male youth, not female—must have its first that it is a necessary experience in the evolution of man.

But if so why not let the girl sow her wild oats? Why not let her gain her experience in scattering evil?

"Oh, that's different," you say.

How different?

What has the boy to gain in knowledge of evil things and practice of evil ways that a girl may not gain?

And if the young man can sow with reckless hand and then miraculously settle down to an exemplary life why not a girl also?

Don't you see it is all wrong, this wild oats flinging to the wind?

Don't you see the danger of reaping the whirlwind?

He who sows wild oats must reap wild oats—not wheat. "Whoever sows a man soweth that also shall he reap."

And not only must he reap the sort of grain he sows, but more than he sows. Evil propagates evil. A grain of wheat will "stool out" in the growing, producing many stalks for the harvest, which make a tough reaping.

It is hard work, this harvesting of evil seed. The stalks are tangled and tough, and the sweat must pour from the faces of the harvesters.

Young man—

Many a man of middle age today who has fought his way out of this snarled harvest field into the open would give his right hand to blot out the scars and the memories of that reaping. He shudders when he thinks what the result of his sowing may have been to others—if not to himself.

"Whoever a man soweth"—if the young men only knew!

Many of the sowers struggle and go down in the intertwined mat of the harvest. You have seen them hopelessly entangled!

You will come out all right?

Let us hope you may, but you will be a weaker man than you should have been. The odds are against you. The tangle of the weeds and the tares is about your feet.

"Whoever"—not something else—whatsoever you sow you shall reap. And you must reap more than you sow.

That law of the moral world is just as true as the law of gravity in physics or the law of crystallization in chemistry.

"Whoever"—not less, but—More!

Earthquakes.

It has been ascertained by statisticians that some 90 per cent of the earthquakes recorded all the world over have occurred during the six colder months of the year. In the Mediterranean and many other districts the proportion during the cold weather is even greater. January and February seem to be the two months especially favored in this respect.

Already Promised.

Lady Fare (to pert cabman)—You will hear something more about this. Let me take your number and your name, please. Cabby—Yer kin hev me number, an' welkin, miss, an' I 'opes as much good may it do yer, but us for takin' me name—why, yer axes a bit too late. I've got a young lady o' my own wot I've promised ter give my name to.—London Tit-Bits.

There are about 25,000 worms to an acre of cultivable land.

CHRISTMAS DAY IN THE ARMY.

CHRISTMAS in the various forts garrisoned by United States troops never passes without a cut and dried celebration. Preparation for the event is made long in advance. Every soldier knows that something extra is going to be his portion for that day. The Christmas dinner, with savory extras in the way of food, is not the only special provision for the soldier's celebration. There is a relaxation of the rigor of military discipline, which to many enlisted men is even more welcome than the turkey and cranberries. On Christmas day the man in the barracks may do pretty much as he pleases.

But "pigs is pigs," and soldiering is soldiering, so it follows that a few of the men are shut out of the general hilarity of the holiday because they must perform a soldier's duty as on other days. The guard mount is for Christmas as well as for all other days, and military regulations cannot forego this requirement, no matter how much the victims may growl under their blouses. Even the extra dinner in the barracks, while it is a rare treat to most of the men, makes work for some of them which is regarded in the army as about the most calamitous detail in the business.

Guard duty and kitchen work are things studiously to be avoided by the enlisted men. It is not pleasant for a soldier to be kept on guard, watching a beat or pacing up and down in front of headquarters when the rest of the fellows are inside the barracks singing songs, telling stories, eating turkey or out on the parade ground playing baseball or doing skydiving stunts. Accordingly the experienced soldier makes it a point to escape Christmas guard duty if possible. There are several ways of doing this. The first sergeant of the company sometimes, if he is kind, helps the veterans out by a passive co-operation, which throws the burden of the day upon young recruits who are passing their first Christmas in the service. He permits the old timers to swap dates for guard duty with the recruits so that the latter will find themselves detailed.

Santa Claus also comes to the soldier. This is true literally and figuratively. He comes through the mails or the express companies in the shape of boxes or packages from the home folks. On his \$13 a month the soldier does not have much of a surplus to spend in buying presents to send home, but this fact does not militate against his receiving mementos from the old hearthstone. It is always an event in camp or barracks when some man receives a hefty package "jes' fore Christmas." As a rule, the contents are shared with the soldier's cronies if they happen to be of the edible variety and any of the cronies fail to receive similar remembrances.

A CAUTIOUS SCOT.

The Elder's Search For a Strictly Orthodox Minister.

A Scotch elder who did not believe that his own minister held strictly orthodox views wished to have his babe baptized, but would not risk his spiritual welfare by having him perform the rite in any heterodox manner. So he walked to another town only to find the minister he sought was away fishing. The next one he was directed to had gone hunting. Filled with indignation, he said to his companion:

"We'll gang to Maister Erskine. That godly man will no be fishing or hunting."

So he found the house, but as he approached it he heard the sound of music. When the servant maids opened the door he remarked to her:

"Ye have company the night. I hear the fiddle going."

"Na, na," she answered, blushing. "Robin could na play like you, but the minister are fiddles a bit afore he goes to bed."

The good man went away without making his errand known. No minister who played the fiddle could baptize his bairn, so he went back to his own, who neither fished, hunted nor played forbidden music, and let him name the child.—London Spectator.

Some Repartees.

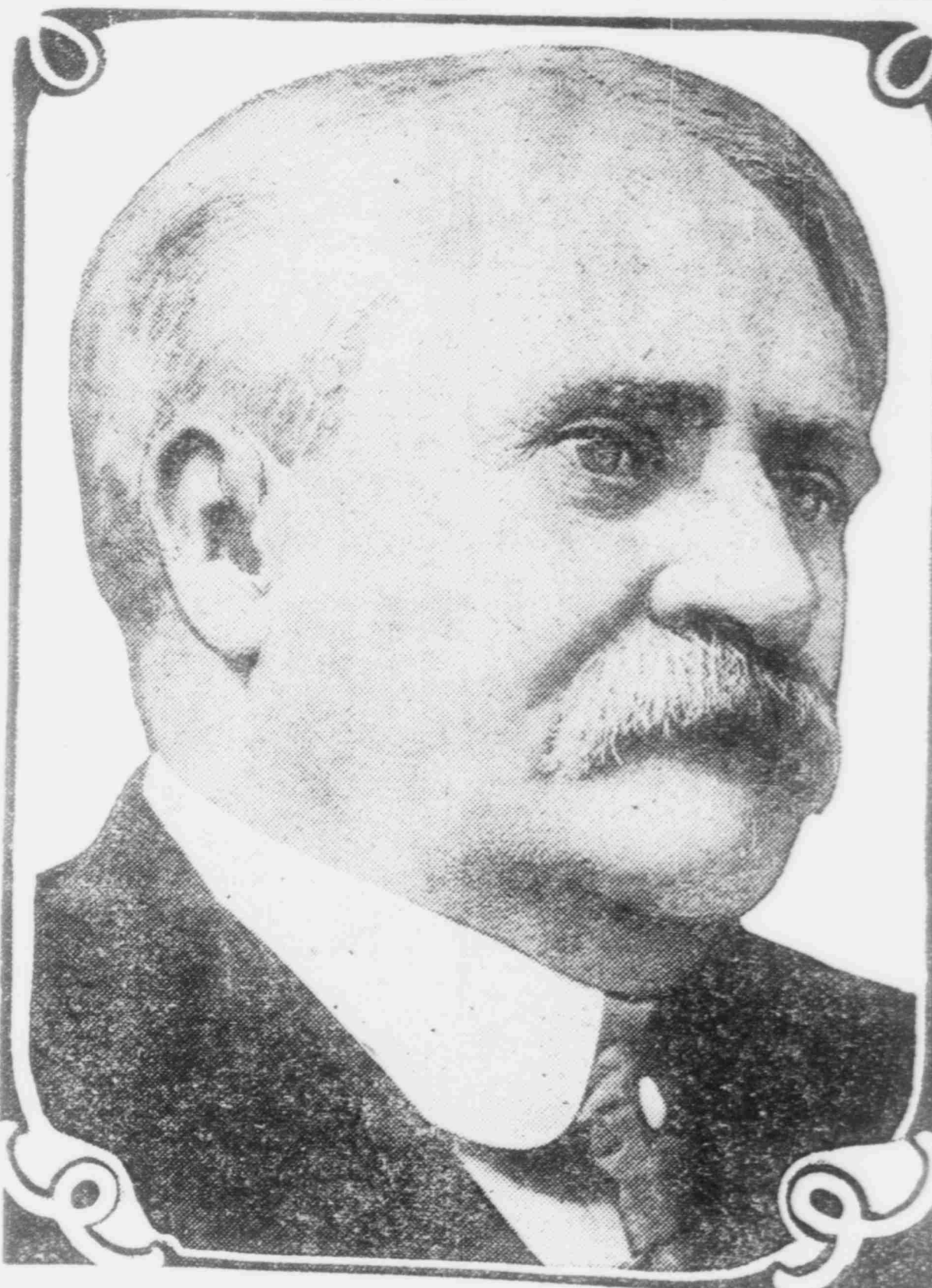
We heard this one at a garage yesterday: "You're a bum driver," says one chauffeur.

"Say," says the other, "what I know about automobiles would fill a library."

"Yes, and what you don't know about 'em would fill a morgue!"—Cleveland Leader.

Cautious!

Clerk at Court—Is the accused your eldest son? Witness—Yes, sir, up to the present.



JUSTICE HORACE H. LURTON, NEW MEMBER OF THE SUPREME COURT.

President Taft and Horace H. Lurton of Tennessee, whom he nominated to fill the vacancy in the United States supreme court caused by the death of Justice Peckham, have been personal friends for twenty years. When President Cleveland appointed Justice Lurton to the United States court of appeals Mr. Taft was an associate justice and swore Lurton in. The new justice is a native of Kentucky and served in the Confederate army during the civil war. He was a law student when the war began and quit college to enlist. He was admitted to the bar in 1867 and for many years was a member of the supreme court of Tennessee.

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F. P. Lahm, U. S. Army, of Mansfield, Ohio, arrived Wednesday and is a guest at The Pines.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cremen, of Bremen, Germany, arrived Thursday and are registered at The Despland.

F. M. Van Etten, a regular winter visitor, arrived from New York and is at the Stillman.

Mrs. M. E. Parker and Mrs. Mary J. Taylor, of Seville, Ohio, are recent arrivals at the Stillman.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Carran and three children and Miss Mercedes Cassidy arrived in party from Cleveland, Ohio, and are guests at The Pines.

NEGRO EMANCIPATION DAY OCCURS JANUARY THIRD.

The colored people of Midway and Wavercross, under the auspices of the Daytona Industrial School, are making preparations to arrange for an elaborate celebration of Emancipation Day on Monday, January third. There will be a street parade arranged under the direction of the colored Masonic and Odd Fellow lodges, displaying the industrial, commercial, fraternal and religious development of the negro race in this section and other attractive features in the parade, with an oration at the Armory by one of the most noted negro orators of the South, Dr. S. T. Rice, of Orlando, touching upon the progress of the race since their emancipation and other features commensurate of that historical event.

All employers, both in the industrial and domestic relationship with the colored people, are requested to give their employees a half holiday on the date of the celebration to enable them to take part in the parade and the subsequent festivities.

At 8:00 p. m., there will be a memorial concert at the same place for the benefit of the Industrial School.

HOTEL CLERKS TO HAVE NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

SPRINGFIELD, O., Dec. 27.—Those debonaire and haughty gentlemen who preside over the counters of the leading hotels of the country are to have a national union, if the plans suggested at today's meeting of the Ohio Hotel Clerks' Association are carried out.

The principal business of the session is the placing of a movement on foot to promote the formation of a National Hotel Clerks' Association. This matter has been taken up by a number of the state organization, and has been unanimously endorsed by the attending delegates.

HOLLY HILL

HOLLY HILL, Dec. 23.—Our school entered a contest was held on Friday last. The little folks acquitted themselves most creditably, and the refreshments were much appreciated, many wishing the supply had been more bountiful.

Miss May Quattlebaum is home from Bulow for the holidays.

Miss Morse is spending her vacation with her parents at Grant.

Mrs. Chas. R. Simonds returned home on Sunday, after spending a week with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Carter.

Mr. Lyle's pet monkey managed to get out of his cage, and after committing sundry depredations among the neighbors, refused to be caught, and became so savage it was necessary to shoot it.

Mrs. Palmer and niece, Miss Lum, spent Tuesday at Mrs. Davenport's, and will return here Thursday for the balance of the winter.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.

"The Eyes of the Lord" will be the subject of the morning sermon at the Baptist Church at 11:00 a. m. Sunday. Sunday school will convene at 10:00 a. m., preceding the morning service. Evening service will commence at 7:30 o'clock. The subject of the evening sermon will be: "Looking Backward." It will be illustrated by a crayon drawing. The B. Y. P. U. meets at 6:45. A cordial invitation is extended to everyone to attend all these services.

The pastor will preach at Seaside in the afternoon at 4:30. The subject of the sermon will be: "The Angel's Message." The service will be held in the Williams Opera House. The people of Seaside and Daytona Beach are especially invited to attend.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH SERVICES ON CHRISTMAS DAY.

St. Mary's Episcopal Church will have a service and sermon, 10:30 a. m., with Christmas music.

Grace Church, No. 8 Avenue, Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m.

Grace Church, Port Orange, Holy Communion, 8:00 a. m.

St. James, Denonah, Holy Communion, 10:00 a. m.

Children's Festival at St. Mary's, Daytona, Tuesday, Dec. 28th, at 4:30 p. m.

KING GEORGE OF GREECE CELEBRATING 6th BIRTHDAY

ATHENS, Dec. 24.—The customary celebrations were held throughout Greece today in honor of the six-fourth birthday anniversary of King George. The King was born Dec. 24, 1897, and is the son of the late King Christian of Denmark. In 1896, he was chosen King of the Hellenes, and Greece had since that time been ruled by the youthful monarch.

The King was crowned in 1921, and is now 24 years of age. He is a member of the Order of the Dannebrog.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 24.—A merry Christmas is promised for tomorrow at the White House, the first that President Taft and family will spend in the executive mansion. All the members of the family will be present, as well as a number of guests, to make the day one of mirth and merriment.

During the past few days Christmas boxes for the President's family have arrived at the White House in goodly numbers. Some of the packages were addressed to Charlie Taft, whose popularity in the country seems to be as extensive as was that enjoyed by his chum, Archie Roosevelt.

COPPER COMPANY PAYS CHRISTMAS DIVIDEND.

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—A dividend of \$1.25 per share was paid today by the Tennessee Copper Company. This is the first disbursement this year. The total dividends for 1908 were \$2.00 per share, and for 1907, \$1.25 per share.

CANADIAN HORSES TO RACE ON THE ICE.

TORONTO, Dec. 24.—Many prominent persons of Canada and the United States are in Toronto to take part in the big ice race meeting which is to open at the Toronto Park race track tomorrow under the auspices of the Toronto Ice Club. The first of the races will be a 1000 yard race, and will be won by a Canadian horse.

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William Hayes Fisher is one of the prominent members of the Liberal party of Great Britain and is probably slated for a ministerial post in the event of Liberal success in the coming general election. He was formerly private secretary to Arthur J. Balfour.

There was a terrible secret society in the east which was organized for wholesale and systematic murder. Its members called themselves "hashish-shin"—whence, by the way, came our word "assassin"—and used to get up courage for their deeds of atrocity by doses of the drug called "hashish." This is obtained from Indian hemp, and it is from the seed vessels that the substance is taken which yields the poison so famed in history and romance. It is a vivid green and when taken produces the most extraordinary visions and hallucinations.

Logical. "How bright May looks, what engagement!" Yes, a bright, sunny light up a girl's face.

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| Swiss Cheese | .. 40c |
| New Potatoes | .. per peck .60c |
| English Walnuts, new crop | .. lb. 20c |
| Brazils, new crop | .. lb. 20c |
| Almonds, new crop | .. lb. 25c |
| Mixed Nuts | .. 20c |
| Florida Pecans | .. 20c |
| Shelled Almonds | .. 60c |
| Seeded Raisins | .. 13c lb., 2 for 25c |
| Currants | .. 13c lb., 2 for 25c |
| Apricots, evaporated | .. 18c |
| Peaches, evaporated | .. 15c |
| Pears, evaporated | .. 25c |
| Oranges, per dozen | .. 15c |
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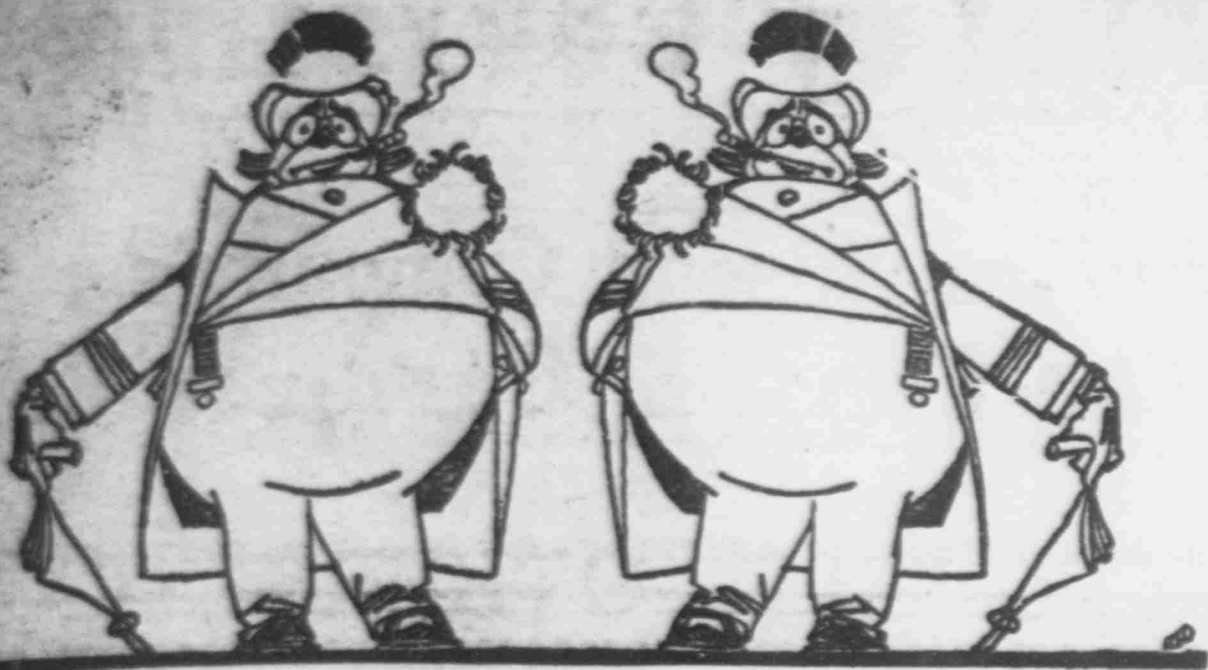
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The Prefect Of Police

A Story of a Stolen Necklace in Valparaiso

By GEORGE CATHERWOOD

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It was on board the steamer Atlantic, sailing from New York to South America, that we first became acquainted with Jim O'Rourke, a young fellow of twenty-five, who had just enough blarney and brogue in his talk to be true to his name. However, he was an expert in his line and at the time was on his way to Brazil to buy diamonds for a New York firm.

Tom Hargraves and I had planned to spend the winter months in the tropics, so when the steamer reached Panama we said goodby to our friend O'Rourke and went ashore, but the torrid heat of the day and the cold nights made the climate disagreeable, so we soon went on southward, and the following month we reached Chile.

Late one afternoon we arrived at Valparaiso, the capital of the country and a city of well kept streets and many parks, but with such poor hotels that we decided to go out to Vina del Mar, a noted suburb and seaside resort. Here we found good accommodations at the Hotel Pasaje, whose inviting porches gave a beautiful outlook over the bay.

Hargraves and I put on cool white suits, such as are worn in South American countries, and went down to the late evening meal, the fashionable one of the day at Chilean hotels.

As a waiter bowed us to a table we unexpectedly came on our old friend O'Rourke, who was dining with another American. When he caught sight of us his good natured Irish face broadened into a smile.

"Hello, fellows!" he cried, shaking hands cordially. "I'm certainly glad to find you here."

"I thought you were in the wilds of Brazil," I said, laughing.

"I was for awhile," he answered, "but I'm going home now. I came over to Valparaiso to see my friend here, the consul." And, turning to his companion at the table, who had risen, he introduced us.

"Mr. Cuthbert, two friends of mine from the States--Mr. Hargraves and Mr. Moore."

The consul greeted us heartily, and the waiter arranged places for us at the same table.

During the meal O'Rourke told us of his travels in Brazil, and Hargraves and I recounted our adventures in Panama. The consul also proved very entertaining and was in the midst of describing a trip down the coast when a messenger appeared and handed him a note.

"I have little time of my own," said the consul, rising, and, excusing himself, he left the room.

Through a nearby window the evening air came in with delightful coolness after the heat of the day, and in the gay surroundings the meal passed happily. Here and there in the room was a tourist from the States, but the majority of the tables were surrounded by wealthy natives, and the chatter of the Spanish language sounded incessantly.

Many of the women wore jewels, and as we passed out our attention was attracted especially to a corner table near the door, where a man in uniform sat with one of the most beautiful Spanish women I had ever seen. I think her beauty first attracted me, though all noted the elegant necklace that encircled her throat and the large diamond that formed its central ornament. In a moment we had passed on, and a screen separated us from the couple at the table.

"Did you see that woman?" exclaimed Hargraves.

"Yes," I replied, "and her diamond necklace."

"I got only a glimpse of it," said O'Rourke, "but it was a beauty."

We stepped in the doorway, and as a waiter approached O'Rourke motioned toward the screen and asked, "Who is the lady at the first table?"

The servant replied in broken English, "Senora Garcias, the owner of the Pasaje."

"And the gentleman?" O'Rourke pursued.

The waiter looked surprised at the question. "The prefect of police," he said in an awed whisper.

Our conversation must have reached the ears of the couple in question, for at that instant the uniformed prefect appeared around the edge of the screen, and, bowing in sarcasm to O'Rourke, he asked haughtily, "Can I be of service to the senator?" The tone was insulting, and for a moment we stood speechless.

O'Rourke, however, was equal to the occasion, and, imitating the bow of the prefect, he returned with equal favor, "Not that I know of."

The officer glared at us for an instant, then turned on his heel and disappeared behind the screen. We stared at each other nonplused. Finally Jim burst out laughing, and we continued our way to the porch.

Soon the stars shone in clusters in the clear sky, such as only tropical climates permit, and gay throngs filled the porches and promenade on the walks near the hotel. From somewhere came the silver notes of a man doll and the sound of distant singing. We sat on the veranda smoking until

it was late. Then Jim remembered a stiletto he had bought as a souvenir and went up to his room to get it.

A few minutes later a disturbance came from within. A woman screamed, and a man's voice called out in Spanish.

Hargraves and I rushed in with the other guests that had heard the noise, and at the foot of the stairs a strange sight met our eyes. Lying prostrate on the floor was the beautiful Senora Garcias, with eyes closed and hair disheveled, while around her neck was a red band, almost bleeding, as though the necklace had been snatched off with violence. Up on the stairs the prefect grappled with O'Rourke, and as they swayed back and forth with uncertain footing the light gleamed from a stiletto in the latter's hand.

It was the prefect that had called for help, and before we could reach them to assist O'Rourke a half dozen of the hotel servants appeared, and Jim was overpowered. The prefect disengaged himself with difficulty from Jim's embrace and stood panting.

"Lock this fellow up until police come from the city," he ordered. But Hargraves and I interposed.

"What's the trouble, Jim?" I called to O'Rourke.

The prefect tried to keep him from replying, but Jim cried: "He stole the senora's necklace. It's in his pocket."

At this the prefect turned on him with a string of oaths. "Villain!" he hissed. "You took the necklace, and if it had not been for me the senora might have fared worse. Thank heaven, I arrived in time to save her from your stiletto!"

The retainers wrenched the knife from O'Rourke's hand, and the crowd surged up hissing, for nothing excites the Latin mind like the sight of naked weapons. The affair was becoming desperate for O'Rourke, but luckily at this moment Mr. Cuthbert pushed through the crowd, which fell back sullenly as they recognized the consul.

"Hold on there!" he called as the waiters tried to drag Jim away. "There must be some mistake, prefect. I know Mr. O'Rourke quite well, and no doubt we can settle this affair in a moment."

The prefect interrupted angrily, but the consul turned his back on him and asked Jim to explain what had happened.

"I had gone up to my room for this stiletto, a curio which I wished to show my friends on the porch," Jim explained, "and on my return from the head of the stairs I saw the senora in the hands of a man who held her by the throat. I shouted to him to let go and was surprised to see it was the prefect, who by that time had wrenched loose her necklace and slipped it into his pocket. Then, realizing that he was caught, he rushed at me as though I was the culprit."

The prefect stamped his foot and shouted "Liar!" But the consul held the floor, and Jim in proof of his honesty turned his pockets inside out. As he emptied his right hand pocket a glimmering gold chain fell from it, at the sight of which he staggered as though he had been struck. It was the diamond necklace.

An exclamation broke from the on-lookers, and the prefect, catching sight of the jewel, sprang down the stairs. With a malicious shout of triumph he held it up before the view of all.

But "he who laughs last laughs best." The prefect had overreached himself, for entangled in the meshes of the chain was his police whistle engraved with his own name, "Pedro Menendez." Unknown to him, it had clung to the necklace during the scuffle when, in order to throw the blame on O'Rourke, he had transferred it to the latter's pocket.

Hargraves and I could not restrain a cheer, and some of the crowd in the hallway joined with us, though others sided with their countryman. The face of the prefect blanched, but he fell back on the dignity of his office.

"This proves nothing," he said haughtily.

"It proves the necklace was in your pocket!" Hargraves called out, and what might have been a general riot was at this moment prevented by Senora Garcias regaining consciousness.

For an instant she swept the crowd with a bewildered glance; then as her eyes fell on the prefect she realized the situation and, with a cry of anger, snatched her necklace from his hands.

"Oh, you ingrate!" she exclaimed.

"You pretended to love me, but it was only for my jewels. I owe my life to doubt to this young man!" And she turned to O'Rourke. "He arrived first in time to save me!" Then, as her hands caught the police whistle she disentangled it from the chain and hurled it in the prefect's face.

"It is a lie!" he reiterated.

The crowd, however, easily swayed from one decision to another, closed in on the guilty officer and forced him up on the stairs. In that elevated position he became the target for various missiles that chanced to be handy until, drawing the dress sword that hung at his side, he brandished it in a circle at arm's length. In this manner he fought his way through the crowd and made his escape by a rear door.

Later Hargraves and I laughingly suggested that Jim might supplant the prefect in the senora's affections, but he declared he had enough of South American dealings, and we left the next morning on a Pacific steamer.

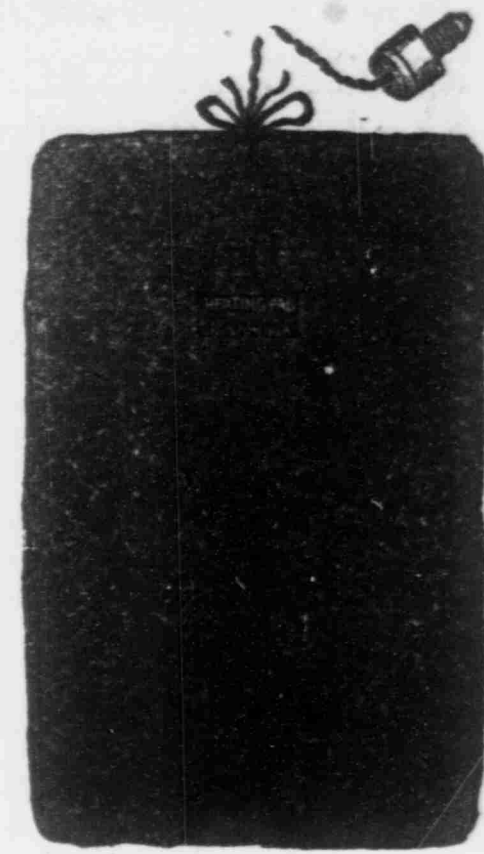
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Mr. Bluffen--What! Hasn't the landlord sent anybody here yet to fix that front door bell? I'll go right down and see him.

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